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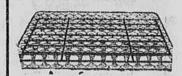
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reduced from 31.00

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Imported, made up in 100 piece sets, reduced from \$12.50 Decorated Top Table, rosewood finish, 20x20 inch top, reduced from \$3.50

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Made of solid oak, 24x30 inch glass in dresser, two short draw-ers, two long drawers, large roll bed, large washstand, quartered oak center table, 24 inch top. A for \$19.75

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CHIFFONIERS.

Solid quartered oak full swell front Chiffonier, with French plate mirror, 16x21 inch, reduced from \$18.75 ⁷⁵ \$15.00

LACE CURTAINS.

Large shipment just received in renaissance patterns, \$1.75, \$2.00 to \$3.50. See them.

50 ROLLS HEAVY CHINA MATTING.

The best that is made, in fancy stripes and plain, 116 warp, full 40 yards, reduced from \$9.95

MISSION LIBRARY SUITE.

Consisting of four pieces, one rocker, two arm chairs, one reception chair covered in red leather, finished in weathered oak, reduced from \$28.50

PIER MIRRORS.

18x10 inch glass, massivreduced from \$14.95

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First Annual Conference Under Aupices of Y.M.C.A.

Local Association Will Entertain Vis. itors at Newport News Baptist Churches-Open Meeting and Illustrated Lecture Tonight.

conference of the Virginia Young for Rockland, Me., on December 9. Men's Christian Association will begin arriving here this morning and seventy-five in the city before 3:30 o'clock this afternoon, when the opening session of the conference will be held at Newport News Baptist church,

At 6 o'clock this afternoon the local association will tender a banquet to the delegates in the basement of the church. All of the visitors and the representatives of the local association will be in attendance.

The public is especially invited to attend the open session in the main auditorium of the leastist clavesh as the control of the leastist clavesh as the least set of the least s

litorium of the Baptist church night at 8 o'clock. The feature of this session will be a lecture by Mr. E. M. Robinson, international secretary of the boys' department of the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Robinson will speak on the subject, "What Boys in Other States are Doing," using a stereopticon to illustrate his lecture.

There will be several sessions to-morrow and Sanday the conference will close with three gospel meetings; one for men, one for older boys and one for the little follows. one for the little fellows.

Arrived Yesterday.

Steamer Waccamaw, Gibbs, Portland-Consolidated Coal Company, Steamer George W. Clyde, O'Neil, Philadelphia—W. P. Clyde & Com-

Steamer Dorchester, Chase, Providence-Merchants & Miners Trans-

portation Company. Steamer Powhatan, Ryan, Baltimor--Merchants & Miners Transportation

Company. Steamer Howard, James, Boston-Merchants & Miners Transportation

Company. Steamer Jamestown, Hiller, New York-Old Dominion Steamship Com-

Steamer Princess Anne, Tapley,

Barge Idaho, Fall River.

Sailed Yesterday. Steamers Parthia (Ger.), Haase, Hamburg; Serbury (Br.), Eno, Bre-men; Jefferson, Dole, New York; Dor-

BOYS GATHER TODAY more; Powhatan, Ryan, Norfolk and ALDERMAN TO MEET

Schooner Margaret Haskell, Hart Boston,

Calendar for This Day. Sun rises 6:53 a. m.

Low water0:25 a. m., 1:10 p. m. MAKING LOUISIANA READY.

New Battleship Will Leave for Rock land on December 9.

Preparations for the trial of the bat deship Louisiana are now being made at the local shippard and the big war Delegates to the first annual boys' ship will be ready to leave this port

painting her superstructure the tradiit is expected that there will be nearly tional navy brown is now in progress and the warship will be docked next, week to have her hull below the waterline cleaned and painted and her docking keels put on.

After she is floated out of the loa sin the ship will be given her final dock trial a few days before she leaves for Rockland, where she will have her official tests on December 12 and 11.

Sylvester A. Wood Arrested Second Time on Charge of Sciling Lottery Tickets.

Sylvester A. Wood, an aged veter-an from the National Soldiers' Home, was arrested yesterday by Police Officer Shelton on the charge of selling lottery tickets. Last spring Wood was convicted of selling lottery tickets and fined \$20 and costs and given one day in jail. On account of the man's age the sentence was made as light as possible.

Whe arrested yesterday the veteran is said to have admitted that he had been selling lettery tickets in Hamp-ton, Phoebus and Old Point, but denied that he had sold any here. He had a number of "Kentucky State Lottery" tickets in his pocket and receipts showing that he had forwarded | money and valuable papers to the Modern Supply Company, 15 Pike street, Covington, Ky.

The prisoner will be given a hearing in the police court this morning. If there is a conviction the justice may New York—Old Dominion Steamship the prisoner to jail for not more than impose a fine not over \$500 and send

Captain Seyburn Dead.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 23.--Captain John R. Seyburn, retired, died chester, Chase. Norfolk and Balti at Abbeville, La., November 22, 1995.

President Jones Calls Special Session of Board For Tonight.

WILL ACT ON "DOG ORDINANCE"

Members are Not Talking, But Indica-Adopted in its Present Shape-Difference of Opinion.

accordance with instructions from President Maryus Jones, City, stole the rope. The work of cementing her hull and | Clerk W. L. Cooke yesterday called a special meeting of the board of aldermen for tonight at 8 o'clock. The object of the meeting is to consider and act upon the "dog ordinance" adopted by the common council at its special, meeting Monday night.

dents of the city caused Col. Jones to improving. have the meeting called.

Although a majority of the members the ordinance in its present shape. Many people favor the measure, but there are also many who think it is too stringent and believe that when the present scare is over everybody will be satisfied with a milder ordinance.

The ordinance as adopted by the common council provides that all dogs appearing on the streets of the city shall be muzzled, unless they are led with chain or cord. Any dog found at large on the street without a muzzle is to be taken up and killed and its owner fined.

It is probable that quite a crowd of citizens will gather at the court house tonight to hear the aldermen discuss the measure.

REPORTED TO HAVE RESIGNED.

Rumor Says Mr. Edye is No Longer Agent for U. S. S. Co.

It is reported that Mr. William H. Edye, local agent for the United States Shipping Company, has tendered his resignation to take affect at once.

Mr. Edye, whose residence is in Norfolk, was not 'in the city yesterday

ASSISTANT INSPECTOR GENERAL

Mr. George W. Nelms Received Appointment From General Morton.

Mr. George W. Nelms was notified yesterday that he had been appointed assistant inspector general for the Second district by General T. C. Morton, inspector general of the Virginia grand camp, United Confederate Veterans.

Six Months in Jail. Charged with being an accomplice of John Mitchell, the sallor who was tions are That Measure Will Not be tiary for stealing 88 fathoms of 5-inch rope from the barge West Point, E. Roech, a negro, was given six months in jail in the Corporation Court yes-terday. The negro was in the boat with Mitchell at the time the latter

Social - Personal

Mr. H. C. Watts, of Lynchburg, who has been ill with typhold fever at A petition signed by forty-eight resi. Dr. Knight's sanitarium is steadily

There was a slight improvement yesof the board have little to say upon terday in the condition of Miss Jothe subject it is generally believed sephlue MacGowan, who is very ill that the aldermen will refuse to pass with pneumonia at her home on West avenue.

> Miss Nannie Turner is visiting friends in Warrenton, Va.

Mr. S. W. Sharp is III at his home in East End,

A card party which was to have been given by Mrs. H. B. Balley last night was postponed on account of the illness of Mr. Bailey, who is confined to his home with an attack of grip.

Mr. Louis Einwick has returned home after spending two months with his parents in England.

Mr. William Garner has retur from a business trip to New York,

Mrs. George W. Nelms has returned from a visit to Richmond.

As To Possession.

Possession is cleven points in the law. And self-possession is the twelfth.-New York Press.

and the report could not be confirmed.

At the office of the company the rumor was neither confirmed nor denied.

CHANGE IN SCHEDULE,
C. & O. Route.

Under the change in schedule on the C. & O., effective Sunday next, November 26th, westbound local trains leaving Newport News at 7:40 a. m., and 5:40 p. m., will be daily except Sunday. Fast trains will remain as at present. Steamer Virginia trip for Norfolk leaving Newport News 7:40 a. m., will also be daily except Sunday. 1t

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